Executive Proclamation
State of South Dakota
Office of the Governor

Whereas, Harley Lux has been the Finance Officer for the city of Lead for 18 years; and,

Whereas, Harley and his wife, Deb, have two children, Haley and Garret; and,

Whereas, As Finance Officer, Harley has faced many difficult challenges, from major snow storms, landslides and fires that have led to the evacuation of the city; and,

Whereas, Harley has provided leadership and ideas that have aided in solving major problems within his community during the last quarter of a century. He helped develop the South Dakota Public Funds Investment Trust (FIT), organize the Health Pool of South Dakota and has been involved with the South Dakota Municipal League; and,

Whereas, Harley is an asset to his community, promoting new businesses within the community, was head of the committee to create the community bowling center, has logged over 15,000 community volunteer hours, helped coordinate 4th of July celebration in Lead, served on the school board, helped in the organization of Parents as Teachers (PAT), worked to combine the Lutheran Churches in Lead, and currently served as Treasurer for the Black Hills Development Corporation; and,

Whereas, Harley is a member of the Black Hills Council of Local Governments, South Dakota Municipal League, past president of South Dakota Governmental Officers Association, South Dakota Public Funds Investments Trusts, and has held various offices of several organizations; and,

Whereas, Harley assisted in the development of the YMCA facility, many economic development activities, he received his certification as a Municipal Clerk in 1988, he became an Eagle Scout in 1972, and continues to assist the Boy Scouts; and,

Whereas, Harley is a dedicated person, taking pride in what he does for his family, friends, co-workers, and the citizens of Lead; and,

Whereas, It is fitting and proper that Harley's colleagues, family, and friends will have an opportunity to thank him for his service to the city of Lead and to wish him good health and happiness:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim June 28, 2004, as

HARLEY LUX DAY

in South Dakota.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-fifth Day of June in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Four.

M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

Chris Nelson, Secretary of State